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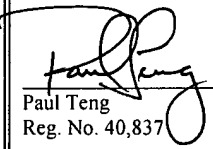
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**APPLICANT'S COMMENTS IN RESPONSE TO
DECEMBER 12, 2008 NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY**

Sir:

The December 12, 2008 Notice Of Allowance indicated that the issue fee in the amount of \$1,510.00.

The issue fee in the amount of \$1,440.00 paid by applicant was received by the Patent Office on July 26, 2008 in connection with an April 22, 2008 notice of allowance in the above-identified application.

In the August 26, 2008 decision of the Patent Office on applicant's August 25, 2008 petition to withdraw the application from issue, the Patent Office indicated that the \$1,440.00 issue

fee previously paid by applicant would be applied upon applicant's request in response to a new Notice Of Allowance.

Applicant hereby requests that the \$1,440.00 issue fee previously paid by applicant be applied towards the \$1,510.00 issue fee due March 12, 2009 in response to the December 12, 2008 Notice Of Allowance. Enclosed is a check to cover the \$70.00 difference ($= \$1,510.00 - \$1,440.00$).

In addition, applicant appreciates the Examiner's Statement of the Reasons for Allowance attached to the Notice of Allowability dated December 12, 2008 and submits that the allowed claims recite subject matter which further supports patentability for reasons in addition to those identified in the Reasons for Allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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